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In re Patent Application of:

Mark Delany

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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR

**AUTHENTICATING A MESSAGE SENDER** 

USING DOMAIN KEYS

Examiner: R. Baum

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)** 

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-29, and a teleconference with Examiner Baum on July 21, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.